



**Atchafalaya River Basin Restoration & Enhancement (ARBRE) Task Force**  
**Thursday, June 10, 2021**  
**Cecilia Civic Center**  
**2464 Cecilia High School Road**  
**Breaux Bridge, LA 70157**  
**9:00AM**

*The following constitute minutes of the Atchafalaya River Basin Restoration & Enhancement Task Force Meeting and are not a verbatim transcript of the proceedings. Audio and video recordings of the meetings are available for viewing and kept at the Office of the Governor-Coastal Activities Office in Baton Rouge, LA.*

**I. Call to Order**

**II. Roll Call**

- Chairman Kline, Mr. Haase, Mr. Myers, Mr. Haydel, Mr. Hill, Mr. Milling, Mr. L. Blanchard, Mr. Tauzin, Mr. Sparks, Mr. V. Blanchard, Ms. Gautreaux, Mr. Ashley, Mr. Spinks, Ms. Cutrera, Mr. Jewell, Mr. Meche, Mr. Bonvillain, Mr. Inman, Mr. Britt, Mr. Kroes

**III. Approval of Minutes**

Motion by Mr.  
Second by Mr.  
Unanimously Approved

**IV. Approval of Agenda**

Motion to move agenda item #VII to item #VI

Motion by Mr. Haase  
Second by Mr. Inman  
Unanimously Approved

**V. Old Business/Announcements**

**VI. Presentation by Atchafalaya Basinkeeper – Dean Wilson (Video #00039 00:00:03)**

- Board was briefed on sub-basins east of the Atchafalaya, meandering channels, Old River Control and Whiskey Bay.
- Also discussed net accretion from 1932-2000 and showed pictures of multiple issues within the Basin.

**VII. Solutions to Priority Issues – Brian Lezina, CPRA (Video #00039 00:21:12)**



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- Discussion on Henderson Gapping Program, Coon Trap Area, Buffalo Cove, East Grand Lake and the priority issues survey and potential solutions.
- Also discussed back swamp and floodplain issues, what issues are being addressed, specific alternatives, impacts of the action, how decisions are made to effect change and how actions are implemented.
- Briefed board on Spoil Bank Gapping, local dredging, canal and waterway modifications and timeline.

**VIII. Public Comment** – *public comments may be made in person or submitted online at [ARBRE@la.gov](mailto:ARBRE@la.gov)*

**IX. Adjourn**

Motion by Mr. Haase  
Second by Mr. Ashley  
Unanimously Approved